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In re application of:

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 1, 2005, please enter the following amendments and remarks. A petition for extension of time for one month, from December 1, 2005 to January 1, 2006, is included herein.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.